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Date: June 29, 2007

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Sir:

**RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

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Total effective claims after amendment 0 minus highest number  
previously paid for 20 (at least 20) = 0 x \$50.00 \$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$

Independent claims after amendment 0 minus highest number  
previously paid for 3 (at least 3) = 0 x \$200.00 \$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$

If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add  
\$360.00 (1203)/\$0.00 (2203) \$

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Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$130.00 (1814)/ \$0.00 (2814) \$

☐ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith

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Responsive to the Official Action dated May 29, 2007, the applicants elect, as a species for initial examination, the compound 1-[4-methylthiophenyl]-3-[3,5-dimethyl-4-carboxydimethylmethoxyphenyl]prop-2-en-1-one, which is recited in claims 96 and 97. The compound is characterized by X6 is oxygen, X2 is hydrogen and is not bound to carbon 3 of the propene chain, and the remaining substituents are as defined as follows: X1 is a G1R1 group, G1 is sulfur, R1 is methyl; X3 and X5 are R3 and R5, respectively, R3 and R5 being methyl; and X4 is a G4R4 group, G4 being oxygen and R4 being an alkyl (dimethylmethyl) containing one group consisting of COOR6 with R6 being hydrogen.

An early and favorable Action on the merits is requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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